

War News.

VICTOR OF KIMBERLEY RELIEF FORCE

Boers driven from the field, leaving their Dead. British Loss 46 Killed and 108 Wounded.
Gen. White captures several Boer Positions with guns and war material at Ladysmith.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

The Secretary of War has received the following despatch from Gen. Methuen dated Belmont, Nov. 23rd: "Attacked the enemy at daybreak this morning. He was in a strong position. Three ridges were carried in succession, the last attack being prepared by shrapnel. The infantry behaved splendidly and received support from the naval brigade and artillery. The enemy fought with courage and skill. Had I attacked later I should have had far heavier losses. Our victory was complete. Have forty prisoners. Am burying a large number of Boers but the greater part of the enemy's wounded were removed by their comrades. We have captured a large number of horses and cows and destroyed a large quantity of ammunition.

Brigadier-General Featherstonhaugh was severely wounded, and Lieut. Col. Grubb of the Grenadier Guards is reported wounded. Our other casualties are: Grenadier Guards, rank and file, killed 26, wounded 36, missing 13; Coldstream Guards, rank and file, killed 8, wounded 33, missing 5; Northumberland Fusiliers, killed 13, wounded 32; Northamptonshire regiment, second battalion, wounded Captains Freeland and Barton severely; South Yorkshire regiment, second battalion, rank and file, wounded 2.

LATER—It was learned that the fighting occurred at Wittepoort station a point near the railway line to Kimberley. Wittepoort station is in Cape Colony a few miles west of the Free State and about 75 miles by rail from Kimberley. Firing continued all day, the British infantry carried the kopjes at the point of the bayonet and drove the Boers from their position.

DUNDEE: During a night attack on Sunday General White captured several Boer positions with guns and much war material. The steamer Mowara with the New Zealand contingent of troops on board has arrived at Dundee.

The Boers occupied Stynsburg in northern Cape Colony on Monday.

Mafeking was safe as late as Nov. 15th. General Buller has gone to Natal.

Winnipeg, Nov. 23.

Gen. Methuen has crossed the Orange river and is advancing rapidly towards the relief of Kimberley.

A half hour's engagement occurred at Mool river station. The shelling of the British caused much havoc to the Boers, but the response did little damage to the Imperial force. The burghers are marching in large numbers towards Pietersburg. They have arrived at Nottingham.

Winnipeg, Nov. 21st.

London: The latest direct news from Ladysmith dated Nov. 16th and 17th strangely conflicts with the repeated reports of tremendous battles and great British victories on Wednesday and Thursday. Neither message refers to any although despatched on days following the date of the alleged fights, mentions any great engagements or Boer defeats. On the contrary both distinctly state that beyond a false alarm of Thursday evening and a little increased shelling on Thursday and Friday, causing little damage, everything was perfectly quiet and the garrison was chafing under its enforced inactivity. Nevertheless special despatches from Eastcourt to-day enlarge on the reported battles and insist that the Boer's fire on Wednesday was more terrible than in the previous fight. Despatches from Ladysmith reporting that there is a supply of ammunition there have seemingly put at rest a point on which there was much diversity of opinion.

Cape Town, Nov. 21: Native runners left by the Boers in charge of their camp at Aliwal north, decamped taking horses and rifles. This shows a very unfriendly feeling. Durban, Nov. 21: Reports say that the Boers are preparing to leave the vicinity of Ladysmith, probably believing themselves unable to cope with the large British force advancing from there.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Lord Salisbury is ill with influenza. Orders are issued for the mobilizing of a sixth army corps at Aldershot. The Fox Bay settlers on Antiochia have been offered a tract of land on Lake Winnipeg.

A writ has been issued against Sir Chas. Tupper by A. E. Phillip, of Brandon, charging defamation of character.

The C. P. R. elevator in Toronto was destroyed by fire as well as a mattress factory. Loss on the latter \$20,000.

LOCAL.

Rev. C. B. Freeman returned from Calgary on Monday's train.

Monday night's train passengers got across the river by the ferry scow.

Jos. Ladouceur, trader of Lac la Biche, was in town on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDougall sailed from New York for England on Nov. 1st.

W. T. Livick, of the H. B. Co., returned from Winnipeg on Monday's train.

R. Peters, of Sunnyside settlement, returned on Monday from a visit to Ontario.

Social hop to-night in Ross' Hall, Strathcona. Tickets for sale at McKenzie's lockstore.

The statutes passed at the last session of parliament are now to be had in bound form.

A blacksmith shop has been opened at Stony Plain in connection with Chas. Pratt's store there.

The slight snow which fell at Edmonton on Sunday night did not extend south of Wetaskiwin.

Mrs. Darling, sister of K. A. McLeod left for her home in Everett, Washington, on Monday's train.

Mrs. Brunelle, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Hixdley, returned to her home in Manitoba this morning.

Two freight cars forcing part of a north bound train were derailed near Olds on Sunday. No one hurt.
Chas. Carnegie arrived from Argyle, Minn., on Tuesday night to settle here. He brings a car of stock and effects.
John Kelly, of Kelly & Beals, returned on Tuesday morning from Innisfail on a special which arrived about 3 a. m.

School Inspector Perrett has returned from his tour and inspected several departments of the Edmonton public school this week.

Frank Oliver, M. P., returned on Monday evening from a visit to Calgary, Macleod and Lethbridge, accompanying Hon. Clifford Sifton and party.

Chas. McCune, of McDougall & Secord's grocery department, will leave for Phoenix, in the Boundary creek district of British Columbia, about Nov. 1st.

Threshing has made excellent progress during the past three weeks and is now nearing a finish. The present very fine weather is just what the threshers need.

The Old Timers' meeting called for Tuesday evening in the fire hall was adjourned until Wednesday evening, the 29th, in the council chamber at 8 o'clock. Business: Election of officers for the year.

J. Flynn, freighter, arrived from the Landing on Saturday having left there on Thursday. The river was running full of ice and nearly closed when he left. Not enough snow for sleighing on the banks.

Rev. Sister Letier, the superior of the Edmonton General Hospital, arrived from Calgary accompanied by three other members of the order, some of whom were on their way to St. Paul, half breed settlement.

By recent mail T. A. Stephen received a letter from New York stating that the writer had seen in the Bulletin his advertisement of farms for sale, and desired to enter into negotiations. Moral: Advertisers in the Bulletin.

The Rev. Mr. Dyke, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in this town and now of Birtle, Man., is in such poor health that by advice of his physician he has gone to the south of France to spend the winter. The Bulletin joins his many friends in hoping he may return next spring thoroughly recovered in health.

River has been running ice all week making crossing difficult, but not impossible. The snow has been crossed several times almost every afternoon and the mails have always made connections so far. Most of the passenger traffic has been carried on by small boat, amongst the floating ice. An operation of some difficulty, with a spice of danger, especially after dark.

On Wednesday of last week the deliveries of grain in Strathcona amounted to about three thousand bushels, of which one thousand was wheat. Wheat prices were up to 65c for extra in special cases. The standard price was 60c for No. 1, 57c for No. 2, 54c for No. 3, and 48c for rejected and feed wheat. Feed oats were 24c to 25c and 26c for milling quality.

The Apollo Glee club will give their fourth concert on Wednesday next, the 29th inst., in Robertson Hall. The programme will consist of Glee, piano, violin, vocal and instrumental solos, etc. A proportion of the proceeds will be given to the Red Cross Society to be applied either to the relief of the sick and wounded, or of the widows and orphans. Admission 25c and 50c.

The C. P. R. are running their fourth annual excursion to the east this year from December 4th to 31st, and are arranging for the accommodation of those who cannot get away, that tickets purchased on December 31st, will be good on the going journey until January 10th. The rate from Edmonton is \$35 to Montreal and all points west thereof in Quebec and Ontario and correspondingly reduced rates to points east of Montreal.

A and affair is reported from MacLeod, says the Calgary Herald. Constable Harrison, who has been a member of the mounted police force for the past five years, was married on Thursday, and on Friday morning left home at 6 o'clock. He was found shortly afterwards dead with a bullet through his brain. No reliable information can be had concerning the cause of the rash act.

TOWN ELECTIONS.

The municipal and school elections for the coming year take place on December 11th. Nominations on November 4th.

Under the recent change in the system of electing councillors three members of the council of six retire each year. The retiring members this year are Councillors Brown, Picard and Secord. Councillors McLeod, McKenzie and Jackson, elected last year, continue in office during the coming year. The Mayor is newly elected each year.

Mayor Edmonson, who has served two years continuously, states that he will not again be a candidate for the position. Contrary to the usual experience there does not seem to be much anxiety for the position on the part of the citizens. A petition has been circulated asking Councillor K. A. McLeod to stand for the mayoralty, but so far he has expressed a strong disinclination to accept the nomination. Mr. McLeod has served in the council for a number of years and always with great acceptance, at the large vote by which he has from time to time been re-elected showed.

Councillors Picard and Brown will possibly offer for re-election. Councillor Secord is disinclined to enter a contest as he finds attention to municipal duties too severe a tax on his time.

The only name mentioned for mayor so far is that of C. Gallagher, but up to date of writing he has not made any definite announcement of his intentions.

The election of school trustees takes place at the same time as that for councillors. Three public school trustees retire this year, namely, Messrs. A. Taylor and Jas. Ross.

The trustees retaining office for another year are Messrs. H. C. Taylor and C. F. Strang.

The retiring separate school trustees are: A. F. Degagne and J. H. Gariepy. Those retaining office for another year are: P. L. McNamara, J. Picard and Geo. Roy.

J. M. Clossan went to Leduc and will return this evening.

Ray, Fisher Morris leaves to-morrow morning for Montreal.

Mr. M. Perreault, has been very sick during the past few days with lung trouble.

Several cases of diphtheria are reported at St. Albert. The health officer is taking the necessary steps to quarantine the households affected.

Mr. Litch who has been assisting at evangelistic service in the Baptist church returns to Calgary to-morrow. He will speak at the service to-night at 8 o'clock. Subject, "Ten Lepers."

R. A. Harris of Calgary and his father, R. A. Harris of Edmonton, N. B., arrived C. P. Harris of Edmonton, N. B., arrived from Calgary last night and this morning went to Clover Bar to inspect lands there owned by the elder Harris, who was one of the shareholders in the Edmonton and Saskatchewan land company.

BIRTHS

Batrick—At Edmonton, on Tuesday, Nov. 2nd, the wife of F. W. Batrick, of a son.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

St. Andrew's Day, Nov. 30th.

The members of the St. Andrew's Society and their friends will hold their Annual Supper at the Queen's Hotel, Edmonton, on Thursday evening, the 30th inst., at 8.30 p. m. All Scotchmen invited. The Society will meet at Fire Hall at 8 o'clock p. m. Tickets for Supper \$1.00 each. May be had from the following officers:

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Instant, at 8.30 p. m.

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MANITOBA ELECTIONS.

The Manitoba provincial elections are on. Nominations on Nov. 30th, and polling on Dec. 7th. The legislature is called to meet on Dec. 21st. The time of year at which the elections are to be held is very suitable. The rush of harvest is over and the bitter cold of winter has not set in. The legislature has held four sessions and its four years term would expire early next year. There seems to be no ground of complaint against the government in this connection. And although the time from the issue of the writs to the close of the polls is not long, it is long enough for the province to be kept in the throes of a political contest. The opposition at any rate cannot complain of being taken by surprise, as they have been actively organizing for the past two years and indeed are now said to be better organized than the government party.

The issues of the campaign as set forth in the address of premier Greenway to the electors of the constituency of Mountain which he represents are: (1) Length of service, Mr. Greenway having represented Mountain for 20 years; (2) Prosperity of the province, aided by legislation in the agricultural interest; (3) A ten cent rate to Lake Superior on wheat, to be attained by means not stated; (4) Opposition to the Senate for having refused to allow the Dominion government to pay to the school funds of the province a portion of the proceeds of the sale of school land reserves in the province; (5) Sound condition of provincial finances, resulting from economical administration; (6) Distinct promise of prohibitory legislation at next session of the legislature; (7) Maintenance of the national school system.

The prominent feature of this announcement of policy is its moderation to the point of conservatism, except on the question of prohibition. Although there is a square announcement of progressive legislation on that subject, the extent of the legislation is limited by the saving clause "to the extent of the powers of the province in that regard." However this cannot be considered as giving room for cavil, as prohibitory legislation to the extent of the power of the province must necessarily be a distinct advance from present conditions; and in any case the provincial government cannot effectively exceed its powers.

The ten cent grain rate is the question above all others that gave scope for a progressive or even aggressive policy. Mr. Greenway's announcement on that question cannot but be altogether disappointing to the friends who wish for his success, as well as to the farmers of Manitoba and the west generally who look to such a reduction in freight rates, as the most ready and rightful means of improving their condition. Had Mr. Greenway made a clear cut practicable announcement of policy on this question he would have unquestionably been returned by a larger majority than that at present at his back. The contest would not have cost his party a cent. His candidates might have gone to sleep during the campaign. His opponents were beaten from the start. And, although the argument may not be of importance in the present condition of political life, he would have been right. Mr. Greenway was the first to bring the prospect of a ten cent rate on wheat before the farmers of Manitoba. This was several years ago. At that time he had a clear cut and apparently practicable proposition. It did not materialize, however. Since then it would seem that there has been opportunity to again bring up the question effectually—that is when the South Eastern railway was being bonused. This is the railway from Winnipeg to the United States boundary at the lake of the Woods which would have formed part of his original Duluth scheme and now forms part of the Rainy River scheme, and the only part of either scheme over which the province can

have absolute control. That Mr. Greenway should have bonused this piece of line without any arrangement looking directly or indirectly to any reduction in the cost of transport of grain to Lake Superior is to say the least inconsistent with his declaration of a ten cent rate policy. Under the circumstances it might have been more judicious to have omitted that feature of policy from his address. There may be weighty and important, and good and sufficient, reasons for the failure of Mr. Greenway to secure decisive action on this question before now. But it will cross the mind of many a farmer between the Red River and the Rockies that if Joe Martin were in the Manitoba government there would have been a ten cent rate already achieved or in sight.

But if fault is to be found with the Greenway government for its too conservative policy what can be said for the party or the policy of his opponents. The strength of the opposition is in the popularity of its leader, and the strength of his popularity is in that he is his father's son. The opposition campaign is being conducted chiefly on personal and partisan grounds. Their appeals are not on what they can do for the province if returned to power but what they can do for the conservative party of the Dominion. Had premier Greenway announced an aggressive policy on the burning question of railway rates such an opposition would have been utterly harmless. But appealing as he does on conservative rather than progressive grounds he leaves himself open to the worst results from the sort of campaign that is being put up against him. Premier Greenway's greatest weakness in this contest is his long career of uninterrupted success, which challenges the common feeling under popular government that change is in itself wholesome. Having no aggressive policy to oppose to this feeling he stands to suffer heavily by it, as did the Hardy government in Ontario.

The one aggressive feature of the opposition policy seems to have been allowed to drop pretty well out of sight—namely the restrictive franchise proposition. However popular this policy might be, it certainly was not logical, and was not likely to breed anything but trouble for those who adopted it. As a matter of mere theory a restrictive franchise is probably all right but the practical difficulties of restricting on any other grounds than the ownership of property are very great. In any case the grounds for restriction put forward by the Manitoba opposition would not stand argument. Whether we consider that the people we allow to come to this country as settlers take a proper view of public questions or not, when we accept the benefit—if it is a benefit—of their presence and labor and expenditures as citizens we cannot logically refuse them the right to protect the interests thus created, by their votes. If we accept them in the duties of citizenship we cannot logically refuse them its privileges. If we accept them we must accept their votes. If we do not allow them to vote we should not allow their presence. It is on this very point that the present war in South Africa arose. The people of the Transvaal had a perfect right to refuse the entry of outlanders to their country. But they did not so refuse. They allowed them to come in, and invest their time and labor and money, and then after having derived these benefits from their presence denied them the rights of citizenship. What ever prejudice there is on the part of other nations against the British in this war there is no question that all civilized nations recognize the propriety of the British demanding the rights of citizenship for British people. If Britain was not universally recognized to be right in this the main point in dispute she would have been checked by the other powers long ago. To regulate and in cases to restrict immigration is not only a right but a duty of the government of any country, but when we accept the immigrants we cannot refuse the rights of citizenship.

The Regina Leader accuses the BULLETIN and its editor in a two column article of misrepresenting its position on the Rainy River railway. It is not the desire of the BULLETIN to misrepresent the Leader or its editor, but it is the right of the BULLETIN to judge the Leader by what it does, not by what it says it thought some months or years ago. It judges it to be unfavorable to the proposition of lower rates on and effective control of rates over the Rainy River railway because although its subscribers and ad-

vertisers are deeply interested in this question it did not give its active support to the only propositions placed before parliament to effectively secure these objects, and because it went out if its way afterwards in the attempt to discredit the only men who did place these propositions before the house and country. This is not something that may or may not be. It is not a matter of surmise or suggestion of motive. It is a matter of fact, which cannot be explained away. Not only so, but ever since, while still refusing to discuss the propositions made and talking around the question, it has repeatedly and persistently used every means in its power to discredit these men who in no way had attacked either the Leader or its policy or in any way provoked attack by it, but who have since been fairly successful in defending themselves from its attacks. The past actions of the Leader have not been misrepresented; but if these actions misrepresent the views held by the Leader it is the privilege of that paper to place itself right by saying just what its views are on the propositions placed before parliament. It does not need two columns to do this in and does not need to bring in the unworthy personality of the members who made the propositions, and who whether because of having made them or not, have incurred, without having provoked, the Leader's wrath and spite.

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pacer, no brand, named "Fleming." One colt, bay
with white face mark, out of said mare "Fleming."
One mare, black with two white hind feet and
white star on face, four years old, named "Fanny."
One bay colt with white hind foot and white star in
face, out of said mare "Fanny." One filly, bay
with two white hind feet, white face, two or three
years old next spring, named "Hedwig." One
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NEW TIME TABLE

The C. P. R. Co. has issued a new time table, taking effect on Nov. 19th which contains some important changes on the Edmonton branch. The express trains run Monday and Friday north, and Tuesday and Saturday south, as before, but the hour of leaving Edmonton is changed from 8 a. m. to 8:30 a. m. This will be of great advantage to the travelling public in the dark winter mornings. They reach Calgary at 5:30 p. m., half an hour later than before. Coming north they leave Calgary at 8 a. m., instead of 8:05, and reach Edmonton at 5 p. m.

A change of days is made in the running of the mixed trains. These now come north on Tuesday and Thursday and go south on Wednesday and Friday. They leave both Calgary and Edmonton at 7:30 a. m. (the train going south reaches Calgary at 6:30 p. m. and the one coming north reaches Edmonton at 7 p. m.)

The change in days of running the mixed trains gives up trains on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and down trains on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. On Tuesday and Friday a traveller from Edmonton can reach points this side of Red Deer and return the same day by going south on Tuesday's express and can reach Red Deer in time to do some business and return on the mixed. This will be of the greatest possible advantage to commercial travellers, cattle buyers, etc., whose business requires them to touch at points along the line, but who could not afford the delay at each point occasioned by the long stay under the former time table. There is no doubt that this will be of great business advantage to these points.

The C. P. R. having made this change in time it may be taken for granted that the intention is to confine the fourth train permanently, which again means that the company find there is business for the train to do. It is a plain principle that industry of business must be accompanied by adequate accommodation or the expansion of business is retarded. The fact that the C.P.R. have put on permanently a fourth passenger train to meet the needs of business is all the argument that should be necessary to require its accompaniment by a corresponding mail service not only for through points, but also for the principal points along the line, whose convenience this additional train especially serves.

WAR NEWS BY MAIL

Monday's Winnipeg papers bring war news up to Nov. 10th from Ladysmith, to Nov. 15th from Estcourt, to Nov. 12th from Orange River eighty miles from Kimberley, to Nov. 12th from Kimberley, to Nov. 10th, from Mafeking to Nov. 6th.

The principal event of note is the misfortune to the crew of the British armored train at Chiveley between Estcourt and Colenso. In this affair the British lost 70 men in killed, wounded and prisoners. The troops engaged were a half company of Durban Fusiliers and a half company of Durban volunteers. The train left Estcourt and reached Chiveley safely. On its return it was attacked by the Boers with artillery and two of the trucks were derailed. The men disembarked and held the Boers at bay until the trucks were replaced on the track. The train then steamed away leaving the men to fall into the hands of the Boers. A proceeding which at this distance would seem to call for a court-martial and subsequent shooting match. The British were clearly ambushed and overpowered, as in the case of the disaster to Carleton's column, and in that to the Hussars and Fusiliers at Glencoe. The loss as stated by the telegrams of last issue, there is 70 killed and 25 Durban volunteers. The number killed and wounded is unknown as all were still in the hands of the Boers.

It would appear that the force of Boers now holding Colenso is the army which marched through Zululand to attack Pietermaritzburg but which was required to assist in the defence of the besiegers of Ladysmith from the British re-inforcements of the 17th. The total who had reached Cape Town on that date was 25,500.

The news from Ladysmith is of continuous bombardment, assault and counter assault in which the besieged are reported to have the advantage. This seems to be borne out by the fact that the Transvaal government is exercising quite as strict censorship over news as the British, and any news that does come from their side speaks of hard fighting at Ladysmith, but no report of success. There is no doubt that an unsuccessful assault was made on the 9th in which, it is reported, that the Free State general, Lucas Meyer, was wounded and had to go to Pretoria. It was also reported that Gen. Joubert was killed, but this is now believed to be untrue. It would appear that since the assault of the 9th the attack on Ladysmith has rather weakened than strengthened.

Kimberley reports on Nov. 9th that the bombardment of the previous day was not continued, but that the Boers were throwing up fresh earthworks. The place was still safe on the 9th. The first division of the Kimberley relief column under Lord Methuen had reached the Orange river on the rail way from Cape Town. This is about 80 miles from Kimberley.

A force of 600 Boers had invaded Cape Colony at Alwal north on the 14th. Apparently after the heavy fighting at Mafeking on Oct. 30th, the siege had been relaxed, some of the besiegers going south to Kimberley and Gen. Cronje, the commander, going to Ladysmith.

In Rhodesia small parties of Boers are looting near the boundary, but apparently are not in force to attack Fort Tuli. News from Fort Tuli up to Nov. 3rd speaks of several skirmishes having occurred between Col. Spry's force and the Boers. But no news of the same date reports the Boers holding the railway between that place and Mafeking, but at points a considerable distance south.

A Bulawayo despatch of the 9th says that the Boers had attacked Khama, the northern Bechuanaland chief who stood loyal to the British during the Matabele war, at the Crocodile river. The chief was aided by 100 British from Bulawayo. The same despatch says that Chief Linche, who at first was loyal, is now thought to be wavering.

In Basutoland which adjoins the Orange Free State, the Boers are stirring up dissension amongst the natives against the British. Chief Joel is likely to take the field against the British, but the head Chief Lotlathodi remains loyal and will attack Joel if the latter takes the field.

THE RIVER.

The Saskatchewan river aided by the weather seems bent on proving the necessity of a bridge at this point. Last fall traffic was interrupted for several weeks between the time when the ferry stopped running and the ice was strong enough to allow teams to cross. The case is much the same this fall. It began to run on Wednesday, the 15th, and is running yet impeding traffic and deranging business. Sometimes it is possible to run the scow and all advantage is taken of this. But no one can tell from day to day when starting out whether he is going to be able to cross his team or not or even whether he will be able to cross in a row boat or not. The danger of such crossing, especially after dark is very great. At the same time an enormous quantity of freight is coming in, and the immense grain crop of last season is also beginning to require to be moved out.

Usually when the fall is late as at present, the river closes quickly. It is when cold comes early in the season that we expect a harassing time with the river. It is very unusual that when the ice begins to run so late as Nov. 15th there is any delay in the final closing. That there is this season is an indication of an open winter, if indications count for anything in this country.

ROAD TO ONTARIO.

The Ashcroft Journal, which is one of the brightest amongst the many very bright papers of interior British Columbia, is deeply interested in the opening up of the mines of the northern interior of the province. On the return of Col. Wright, of the 43rd Mining Co., of Ontario from that district the Journal interviewed him at length on the question of transportation and a road to that important mining region now entering a new stage of development. The Ontario is now reached by two routes: one from the coast at Port Essington and one from the Ashcroft. The Journal concludes its article as follows:

Colonel Wright, although far from opposing the coast route believes that the most feasible one for both the miners and the government is via the Cariboo road to Quesselle and Stuart Lake thence by boat across the lake, which leaves but 70 miles of road to be built to land supplies, etc., at Manson creek. If the government decided to open up this route, Colonel Wright believes that the miners would assist towards the cost of construction, as they believe it is the most feasible one to be undertaken.

"The principal companies operating in the Ontario are the 43rd Mining Co., of Ontario, of which the Ontario is a subsidiary, which has already invested some \$12,500 in the district, and the St. Anthony Company, of California, representing, probably, \$100,000 invested."

The interest of Edmonton in the Ontario lies in the fact that this district has to sell what the miners of the district want to buy, and that some of the water of Peace River, of which the Ontario is a tributary, accessible at this end by wagon road from Edmonton, extends to within 50 miles of the mines. The route from Edmonton to that point would be entirely by wagon and steamers leaving only 50 miles of packing. But there must be two steamers on Peace River to make the connection.

The C. P. R. Co. gives notice of intention to build a railway making direct connection between New Westminster and Vancouver, B. C. The towns are about twelve miles apart. Westminster now has a branch of the C. P. R. When the connection is made it will practically be on the main line of the railway. This will be to the mutual advantage of both New Westminster and the C. P. R. Company.

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Wheat is quoted in Strathcona at 60c for No. 1, and 58c for No. 2. Large deliveries.

Deliveries of grain this week have not been as large as during the corresponding days of last week. This is partly due to the impossibility of crossing the river with teams, the slippery condition of the roads, and to the drop in prices. Another feature is that wheat has largely taken the place of oats.

On Saturday wheat was dropped to 58c for No. 1 and 56c for No. 2. But this week came up again to 60c for No. 1 and 57c for No. 2. The brisk demand is for these two qualities. Lower grades are not in demand. A great deal of good wheat is coming in. The sample is bright and there is very little smut. There is practically no frost yet. The poorer qualities are the result of too early cutting and are shrunken, but bright.

Oats were dropped on Wednesday from 22c to 20c and 21c for feed. The checked deliveries. At present the buyers warehouses are filling up rapidly as they cannot send across the river to ship, and unless the river closes soon a further drop may be looked for.

THE MAIL.

The recent change in the train service has rather mixed up the mails. We now have mails arriving on Monday, Thursday and Friday evenings, a very unequal division of the week and reducing the advantage of three very nearly to the level of two. The Saturday train at first put on did not break up the equal division already existing and besides was not a particularly desirable day for mails, but now that the days have been rearranged and that the fourth train comes in on Tuesday instead of Saturday, the reasons for a fourth mail are correspondingly strengthened. The board of trade should take this matter up briskly on the basis of the new arrangement of train service.

SMOKING CONCERT.

In the council chamber of the fire hall last night the annual smoking concert of the Edmonton Fire Brigade was held, and of all the smokers given by the Brigade, last night's was probably the most successful. Every available inch of seating capacity in the room was occupied. On two long tables running down the centre a substantial cold supper was served. T. G. Lauder, chief of the brigade, occupied the head of one table and J. V. E. Carpenter, assistant chief, and the head of the other. The walls were decorated with firemen's paraphernalia, flags, etc. The programme was one of exceptional merit for a smoking concert. As rendered it was:

Address by the chief.
Instrumental selection on the concertina, E. Keats.
Song, J. L. Johnston.
Song, H. W. Heathcote.
Song, R. McIntyre.
Toasts, the Mayor and Council of the town of Edmonton; replied to by Mayor Edmiston, and Couns. McKenzie, McLeod, Picard, Brown and Secord.
Instrumental selection, concertina, E. Keats.

Song, Jos. Grisenhwaite.
Song, A. G. Randall.
Song, Donald Ross.
Cornet solo, H. Hockley, encore.
Club singing, J. C. Griffiths, encore.
Song, Jos. Grisenhwaite, encore.
Song, F. Whiteley, encore, topical song.

Song, W. E. B. Stokes, encore.
Toasts, the Brigade; replied to by Chief Lauder, assistant Chief Carpenter, captain of hook and ladder, James A. Stovel, captain of chemical, H. Hockley and Engineer Turgeon.

Song, J. K. Macdonald, encore, stump speech.
Chinese song, F. F. Tims, encore.
Toasts, The Press, replied to by Messrs. Tims and Macdonald.

Instrumental selection, concertina, E. Keats; encore, concertina Mr. Keats, dance by T. G. Lauder.

Toasts, The Anglo-Saxon race, the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, proposed by H. W. Heathcote.

Song, Mr. Cartwright, encore.
Song, "Tommy Atkins," A. C. Moloney.
Club singing, J. C. Griffiths.
Three-round sparring bout, J. C. Griffiths and W. A. Griesbach.
The evening was brought to a close by the singing of "Should Aid acquaintance be forgot."

OUT OR TOLLEN.
A black and tan Collie pup (about six months old) with short tail. Anyone finding and bringing it to W. Johnson Walker will be rewarded. \$15

THE BRIDGE.

The lower chords of the second span of the bridge are now in place and the cross pieces bolted in. The work of raising the trusses is commencing and will probably be completed next week. As soon as the second span has been bolted in place, the false work will be removed from the two south spans and put in the two north spans to carry the superstructure during construction. The whole of the superstructure will be in place and bolted before any riveting will be done. For this work a riveting machine worked by compressed air produced by steam power will be used. The steam generator will be placed on the centre pier of the bridge and will work both ways. The date of completion of the bridge will depend on the weather, but will not be later than February. Some delay has been caused in the raising of the superstructure by a slight sinking of the false work under the great weight, necessitating further blocking up. This is not likely to occur in the case of the two north spans, as the frost will then keep everything solid.

At the height originally intended the bridge was level with the north but was reached by a deep cut on the south side. Now the south end is level with the ground and the north end eight feet above. This has been provided for by an approach partly graded and partly of timber work. The timber portion is 24 feet in length, the full width of the bridge, with a railing on each side. The situation is somewhat steep, but not difficult. It would be possible to save the eight feet of fall and rise in the present road to the bridge by making a slight alteration in its course and making a considerable fill. Although this would entail considerable expense, and the loss of some very good work done by the town this summer before it had been decided to raise the bridge, there is no doubt that the volume and nature of the traffic would amply justify it.

AERATED WATERS.

At the special council meeting held yesterday afternoon it was decided to grant C. Neher lots 44, 45, 46 and 47 in block 5, river lot 14, facing on 2nd street, in consideration of his erecting an aerated water works. The lots are now the property of the town, having been acquired at a tax sale. Mr. Neher is to erect a building at a cost of \$1,000 at once and install a plant of some very good work done by the town this summer before it had been decided to raise the bridge, there is no doubt that the volume and nature of the traffic would amply justify it.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

Mrs. M. Peacock is laid up with inflammatory rheumatism.

The Massey-Harris new warehouse from all appearance is now ready for business.

Mr. Stasick, of Beaver creek, is hauling in timber for the erection of a new dwelling house and barn here.

Otto Dzanek, who was recently hurt here in a runaway, is recovering nicely and soon will be able to be removed to his home at Beaver creek.

Dominion Grain Inspector Gibbs' figures for the week ending the 14th inst., are 767 cars of wheat inspected, as compared with 589 and 1,350 for the same period in 1898 and 1899 respectively. The total on the crop of 1899 inspected to date is 9,042, as compared with 5,000 and 7,445 inspected up to Oct. 14, 1898 and 1897 respectively. Last week 630,641 bushels shipped by vessel and 104,013 by rail.

1,375,124 bushels for 1897, up to the same date.

FARMER DELEGATES.

Arrived this week: Thos. Rattray, Mountain Lake, Minnesota; R. Higgins, Ada, Minnesota. A. Hart, Chas. Richmond, Archer Rattray, Borroek, Minnesota; W. Mittelstadt, R. Tonhofer, Minnesota; J. Wilcock, and R. Patterson, Nebraska. The delegates are driving through the St. Albert, Sturgeon and Fort Saskatchewan districts.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Regular meeting Tuesday evening. All present.

Payment of taxes on the Latta property, lot 14, block 7, river lot 12, was accepted.

The town solicitors gave a written opinion that the town had no right to interfere in the dispute as to property between Miss E. Phillips and M. McCauley; particularly as the matter was now the subject of a law suit.

McKenzie-McLeod moved that the question of the advertisement of tax sales be postponed until the election of the council of 1900.

A cheque will issue at the end of the year for the public school grant.

In reply to a letter from A. G. Randall McLeod-McKenzie moved that Mr. Randall be informed that the council considered it too late to publish the auditor's report for 1898. But that in 1900 it was proposed to have an audit made covering several previous years, which would be published.

C. Neher, recently arrived from South Dakota, presented a proposition for starting an aerated water factory. The subject of a free site to property between Miss E. Phillips and M. McCauley; particularly as the matter was now the subject of a law suit.

A poll tax list is to be prepared by the clerk and the taxes collected by the constables.

The solicitor was asked if the council can compel the closing of the old well at the foot of the hill on river lot 8.

The following accounts were passed by the finance committee:

C. W. Mathers, advertising 4.25
Jos. Grisenhwaite, health and relief 1.00
Clearing nuisance ground, wages 15.00
Jas. McLean, health and relief 5.00
H. P. Pratt, license and police 2.00
J. R. Brenton, board of works 18.70
E. M. Hoover, board of works 3.25
Cravelling Reed grade, wages 456.70

Council adjourned to meet at 4 p. m. on Thursday, 23rd to hear the report of the special committee appointed to discuss Mr. Neher's proposition regarding aerated water works.

SCHOOL MEETING.

A meeting of the public school board was held on Tuesday, the 7th. All trustees present.

A return submitted showed the pupils enrolled 354, average attendance 354, being 80 per cent.

All purchases for the school must be made hereafter on order signed by the chairman and secretary. The present teachers were to be asked if it was their intention to re-enroll.

Accounts were passed as follows: Pay sheets for Aug., Sept. and Oct. Lyons, woods, \$5.00
Ross Bros., 7.65
C. Griffin, 25
J. L. Johnston, 65
K. W. McKenzie, 3.90
K. W. McKenzie, 8.05
Bulletin, 7.25
Coal, 28 tons, 46.00
J. McLean, 6.75
A. S. Elder, 15.00
J. T. Blowsy, 128.00
Post, 1.00
A. W. Ormsby, 16.00
Stovel & Strang, 0.35

WHEAT MARKETS.

Free Press, Nov. 17th.

The wheat market was strong today, advancing 1-2c over last night's close. Liverpool was 3-4 higher and all of the other continental markets showed some improvement. An official statement that the situation in India continues bad, probably had some effect upon the English markets. Primary receipts were only half as large as those of a year ago. A moderate export business was reported at New York.

Manitoba wheat—Prices in store, Fort William: This market continues quiet, but tone has been better to-day. No. 1 hard spot Fort William sold this morning at 67 1/2c and later at 67c 3/4c. (This afternoon feeling is easier again and 67 1/2c is the best buyers will bid for 1 hard spot for November delivery. We quote 1 hard December delivery 67 1/2c, 2 hard and 1 northern 2 1/2c to 3c under 1 hard, 3 hard 6c under 1 hard; 1 frosted 56c.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

November.	Max.	Min.
Monday, 20,	33	
Tuesday, 21,	32	22
Wednesday, 22,	37	20
Thursday, 23,	46	24
Friday, 24,	30	

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92 " " " 1.50 " "
100 " " " 1.40 " "
110 " " " 1.30 " "
122 " " " 1.20 " "
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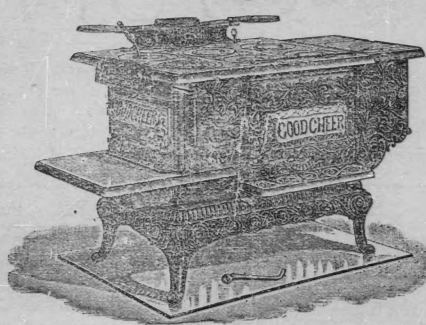
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EDMONTON, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1899

No. 7.

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WETASKIWIN.

The construction has been at work here for the past few days driving piles for a water tank. It has now gone up the line to make a new bridge over the Mud river.

The weather is simply lovely, the nights cool, not cold and the days with beautiful blue skies, a nice breeze and for a few hours a really warm sun. Finer weather could not be wished for by the farmers for their threshing, which is now in full swing. Little grain, however, is being brought in as the farmers are hoping that the mill machinery may soon arrive so that they can sell locally a portion of their grain.

Francois Adam, the popular merchant at Duhamel, is also heavily in the cattle business. On a recent visit to him he stated that he had between 500 and 600 head ready to ship early in December.

Wm. McDonnell has his cattle buyers busily employed the whole time. Messrs. Wilkie & Young are now out for that purpose. Both these buyers are of the active kind and they always have a good report to make on their return. It is to be regretted that E. Nunneley, one of Mr. McDonnell's buyers, is unwell and unable to attend to business, however, this fine weather ought to brace him up again.

A bad incident has just happened 14 miles from here in the Battle river district, the exact particulars of which are not yet to hand. From what is known it appears that a man named Noyes was in some way caught in a threshing machine and badly cut up about the face, one of his ears being cut off. Mr. Baldwin was sent for and is at present in attendance, not having as yet returned.

A post office will be opened on the 1st of next month at Bitters lake. Mr. Roper postmaster. It is full time that this should be done as there are quite a number of settlers around the lake. Now that they have obtained this office they should really put their shoulders to the wheel and organize a school. It is indeed badly wanted.

It is generally believed that this village became incorporated as such on the 17th of this month, however, this is not so. The fact of incorporation will not take effect until the 1st of December, and the election of the first overseer will be held about a month afterwards.

The present licensing commissioners vacate office on the 31st of next month. Wetaskiwin is arguing its claims to have one of the vacant seats that is if the old ones are not re-appointed.

The service in the Church of England on Sunday (harvest festival) was brought to a very sudden end at the outset. The stove pipes persistently refused to draw with the result that the parson and his congregation were literally smoked out.

The body of the rancher Jansen who was drowned a month ago in the Battle river, was found Sunday night floating close to the bridge at Duhamel within a very short distance of where he was accident occurred.

The application of L. P. A. Dumont for a license for the Queen's Hotel, has just been heard before the three commissioners. It was refused by a vote of two against one.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

H. Harrison, late of Collingwood, Ont., arrived here last Saturday morning to take charge of Calvert & Cunningham's blacksmith shop and run their business.

Mr. Mariaggi arrived back from Banff last Thursday afternoon from forty acres over 1640 bushels of No. 1 wheat, an average of over forty bushels to the acre.

David Simmons threshed last Wednesday 32 hundred bushels of wheat and sixteen hundred bushels of oats. Two acres of new land yielded one hundred and fifty bushels of oats to the acre. This breaks the record for Beaver Hills.

W. F. Langworthy returned here last Friday night from Banff where he has been for the last two weeks recruiting his health.

No ferry for the last two days here.

AT MAFKING.

An undated despatch from Mafeking, received by runner, via Maga layne on Wednesday, Nov. 8, says, speaking of the bayonet charge made by Capt. Fitzmaurice on the Boer trenches; Our party could not hold the trenches; and lost six men killed, two prisoners and nine wounded in their retreat. We expect a general attack to-morrow. The bombardment has been most ineffectual. Everyone remains under shell proof cover. So far the shells have only wounded one man. The enemy is using one 9 pounder Howitzer, and 7 other guns, from 7 to 14 pounders. The town is most cheerful and determined to resist an attack to the utmost. The Boers are entrenched on every side in great numbers and are pushing gradually closer and closer to the town fortifications. We are well off for provisions and water, though very tired, dodging shells and being hit. Quite on civilized lines Gen. Cronje has always given due notice of a bombardment and allowed the ambulance party two hours on Saturday to recover the bodies of the six dead left in the vicinity of the Boer trenches. Friday night Jas. Botha, a well known Boer commandant, told a man with the ambulance party that their loss had been heavy and his heart was very sore.

UNPLEASANT READING.

A London despatch of the 17th gives a Pretoria despatch which says that the British Government are to include the Eighteenth Hussars, four officers and 91 non-commissioned officers and men, the Dublin Fusiliers, four officers and 12 non-commissioned officers and men; the Irish Fusiliers, 10 officers and 533 non-commissioned officers and artillery, five officers and 60 non-commissioned officers and men; the Leicesters, no officers, six non-commissioned officers and men; the Dragons, one man; the Natal police, one man; police, 62 men; sick, 38 men. The despatch adds: Trains are working excellently from Pretoria to Ladysmith.

A Durban despatch of the 16th says that the British military prisoners at Pretoria comprise 52 officers and 1,275 non-commissioned officers and men from Natal; 10 officers and 25 non-commissioned officers and men from Mafeking, and four men from Fort Tuli. The prisoners' guards are almost exclusively Germans and the artillerymen manning the forts were all mostly Germans. The prisoners were well treated and shown every consideration.

ANOTHER YUKON RAILWAY.

A company is now at work building a railway across the mountain water, at the head of Dyea inlet to the Chilcot pass. The pass will be avoided by a tunnel. The intention is to have nine miles from side water to Canyon city graded this fall. The total distance to the entrance to the proposed tunnel from side water is 17 miles.

An increase of half a million dollars has lately been made in the capital stock of the Imperial Bank of Canada, and by the sale of the new stock of a heavy premium the reserve fund has been greatly increased. On the Toronto and Montreal stock exchanges the bank's stock is now quoted at \$217, par value being \$100. Imperial stock is rated fourth on the list of Canadian banks, only the Dominion Montreal and Toronto being quoted higher. The bank has now four branches in Toronto, having lately opened one on the corner of King and York streets. In St. Thomas, Ont. they have also established a second branch.

Capt. Williams, commanding the permanent military force at Winnipeg was to visit Lethbridge on the 21st for the purpose of organizing a corps of mounted rifles. Major Hutton was unable to visit Lethbridge during his tour, but he sent Capt. Williams for the purpose of promoting organization at that point.

The royalty on the gold output of the Yukon for this year collected up to Nov. 1st is \$750,000.
Hon. C. Sifton and D. C. Fraser, M. P., were to speak at Prince Albert on Tuesday night.

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